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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
AYA IMADA ET AL.) : Examiner: NYA
Application No.: 10/559,966) : Art Unit: 1763
Filed: December 8, 2005) : Confirmation No.: 6543
For: PROCESS FOR PRODUCING)
STRUCTURE, FUNCTIONAL)
STRUCTURE, AND MAGNETIC)
RECORDING MEDIUM) : November 28, 2007

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to receipt of the first Office Action on the merits, please amend the subject application as follows: